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REPLY

Dear Sir,

This reply is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed February 22, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application. In response to the informality regarding payment of the fee in connection with Applicant's Reply and Amendment filed January 27, 2005, we hereby inform you that on February 24, 2005 a check was sent to the Director of the United States Patent & Trademark Office, Attention Deposit Accounts, in order to replenish Applicant's Deposit Account 502092. As such, Applicants respectfully request that the remaining balance of \$475.00 be charged to Deposit Account 502092 in order to cover the remaining balance for additional claims.

It is Applicant's understanding that upon the requested \$475.00 charge, Applicant's Reply/Amendment filed January 27, 2005 will be considered complete and the above-identified patent application will be good in good standing.

Respectfully Submitted,

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